

HOUSE RESOLUTION 25
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A RESOLUTION to congratulate and honor Evangelical Christian School for winning the Herald of Excellence Award.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly should honor those students and academic programs that, through their pursuit of excellence, bring honor and accolades to the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, the students and faculty members working for the Evangelical Christian School's newspaper, the Eagle's Eye, are such exemplary ambassadors of this State, having recently been honored with the Herald of Excellence Award; and

WHEREAS, the Herald of Excellence Award is given by the Tennessee Press Association's Journalism Education Committee for excellence in several areas of student journalism, including writing, design, photography, and advertising; and

WHEREAS, to be considered for this impressive honor, the newspaper's advisors submitted several issues of the newspaper from throughout the year, along with copies of production schedules, budgets, job descriptions, and advertising rate cards; and

WHEREAS, nominated for this award by The Cordova Beacon, the Eagle's Eye has won this prestigious award once before as well; and

WHEREAS, the voice that reaches all of Evangelical Christian School, the Eagle's Eye covers all aspects of life at the school, including news, features, and sports from the lower, middle, and high schools; and

WHEREAS, the students who work for the Eagle's Eye have benefited greatly from the knowledge, experience, and instruction provided by their faculty advisor, Jan Williams, an English and Journalism teacher for the school; and

WHEREAS, an outstanding learning tool for students, the Eagle's Eye has given many students the opportunity to improve their writing skills and explore career opportunities in the field of journalism; and

WHEREAS, past editions of the newspaper have even been sent to several college newspapers, including Stanford University and Clemson University, showcasing the potential and talent of the young journalists behind the Eagle's Eye; and

WHEREAS, the students working for the Evangelical Christian School's Eagle's Eye are a credit to journalism and their school; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly honor their remarkable achievements; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby congratulate the students, faculty members, and all others affiliated with the Evangelical Christian School's newspaper, the Eagle's Eye, on winning the prestigious Herald of Excellence Award, and we wish them continued success in their every endeavor.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

